Before the **Federal Communications Commission** Washington, D.C. 20554

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In the Matter of)
Request for Review of the Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by)).).
Middle Country Public Library Centereach, New York) File No. SLD-188153
Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service) CC Docket No. 96-45
Changes to the Board of Directors of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.) CC Docket No. 97-21 /

ORDER

Adopted: September 30, 2002 Released: October 1, 2002

By the Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau:

The Telecommunications Access Policy Division has under consideration a request filed by Middle Country Public Library, Centereach, New York (Middle Country). 1 Middle Country seeks an extension of a deadline for invoices filed in relation to Middle Country's request for discounts in Funding Year 2000 of the schools and libraries universal service mechanism.² Specifically, Middle Country requests that the deadline be extended for Funding Request Number (FRN) 394147 because of difficulties with its selected service provider.3 Upon our review of the record, however, we find that SLD approved Middle Country's request to extend the invoicing deadline for FRN 394147.⁴ Accordingly, we dismiss

¹ Letter from Sandra Feinberg, Middle Country Public Library, to Federal Communications Commission, filed April 8, 2002 (Request for Review). Section 54.719(c) of the Commission's rules provides that any person aggrieved by an action taken by a division of the Administrator may seek review from the Commission. 47 C.F.R. § 54.719(c).

² See Request for Review. The original deadline for Middle Country's invoices was January 31, 2002. See SLD website. What's New November 2001 http://www.sl.universalservice.org/whatsnew/112001.asp#111301 ("FRNs with Forms 486 postmarked ON OR BEFORE November 12, 2001: Invoices (BEARs or SPIs) must be postmarked no later than January 31, 2002.").

³ Request for Review.

⁴ Letter from Schools and Libraries Division, Universal Service Administrative Company, to Sandra Feinberg, Middle Country Public Library, dated August 20, 2002. See also SLD website, Schools and Libraries FRN Extension Table http://www.sl.universalservice.org/utilities/FRN DisplayCurFundExt.asp> (extending deadline to December 18, 2002).

Middle Country's Request for Review as moot.

2. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a), that the Request for Review filed April 8, 2002, by Middle Country Public Library, Centereach, New York, IS DISMISSED as moot.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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